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THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Lyme in the
[L. S.] County of Grafton in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Town of Lyme on Tuesday, the ninth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.

3. To see what compensation the town will allow its various officers the ensuing year.

4. To see what order the town will adopt in relation to the savings bank tax the ensuing year.

5. To see if the town will vote to establish a liquor agency for the ensuing year.

6. To see if the town will vote to raise one hundred dollars to be expended for improvements in the cemeteries.

7. To see if the town will vote to adopt the provisions of Chapter 57 Public Statutes in relation to the distribution of inventory blanks.

8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the amount of money necessary to receive state aid for permanent improvement of highways under the law passed at January session 1905.

9. To see how much money the town will vote for the support of schools the ensuing year.

10. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money in addition to that required by law to make one hundred dollars for the benefit of the town free library.

11. To see if the town will vote to raise money to build one snow roller to break the roads from Thetford to Lyme Center.

Given under our hands and seal, this 17th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and nine.

GEORGE A. PUSHEE,
EDWIN P. DIMICK,
ARTHUR E. DERBY
} Selectmen of Lyme

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Feb. 16, 1908	$1,236 56	
Grafton county, support county poor	110 27	
R. P. Graham, tax	1 75	
Money borrowed	4,000 00	
For licenses on dogs	156 60	
State highway money from state	388 92	
Savings bank tax	931 45	
Literary fund	129 78	
Proportion of school fund	150 52	
High school tuition	8 63	
Railroad tax	26 87	
Insurance tax	2 75	
Town of Thetford for repairs on bridges	375 67	
For peddler's license	8 00	
For fine	8 00	
D. A. Grant, dynamite sold	2 50	
Additional taxes	6 72	
E. F. Morrill, interest	13 96	
Taxes 1908	9,648 74	
		$17,207 69

DISBURSEMENTS

State tax	$1,095 00
County tax	960 74
Notes and interest paid	2,141 48
Town library	100 00
Support county poor	239 44
Support town poor	117 79
Highway agent	1,857 87

Gravel money and state	$1,415 07	
Schoolhouse repair tax	197 50	
Town officers	528 02	
Miscellaneous	3,791 37	
School books	216 36	
School money	3,416 66	
Cash on hand	1,130 39	
		$17,207 69

MISCELLANEOUS

F. A. Randlett, care of hall	$ 2 00
J. H. Follansbee, water 1907	3 00
C. D. Pike "	2 00
F. A. Musgrove, printing reports	24 00
George Melvin, express	1 32
Woodsville high school tuition for Marion Badger	18 00
E. C. Eastman, tax book and blanks	3 40
Henry Dike, work in cemetery	12 00
V. R. Dike "	12 00
E. C. Eastman, town record	12 00
Kimball Union academy, tuition for Weymouth and Cowan	24 00
W. G. Piper, lowering device	80 75
C. H. Dimick, G. A. R. bill	19 99
Repairing North Thetford bridge	105 00
Canton Bridge Co., iron for North Thetford bridge	2450 00
Canton Bridge Co., iron bridge	250 00
G. A. Pushee, work on Center bridge	52 00
L. C. Andrews, plank for North Thetford bridge	336 90
Caroline Chase, land for cemetery	40 00
Kimball Union academy, tuition Cowan, Mayo, Turner, Weymouth	64 00
C. B. Webb, painting bridges	175 00
Estate of B. T. Washburn, sheep killed by dogs	7 00
G. A. Pushee, money paid out	12 00
Angeline Brown, water 1908	2 00
F. E. West, oil and turpentine for bridges	27 58
M. D. Cobleigh, services	1 00
D. A. Derby, stone boat and work	4 35
D. J. Pushee, water 1908	2 00
C. S. Steele, snowing bridge	4 25

C. H. Munn, water 1908	$ 3 00
P. E. Fairfield, return of marriage	25
S. A. Converse, water 1908	3 00
Andrews Bros., supplies	2 80
W. A. C. Converse, returning marriage	50
E. T. Morrill, abatements	34 28
	$3791 37

TOWN OFFICERS

Geo. S. Mayo, auditor	$ 2 00
A. J. Warren "	2 00
S. A. Converse, balance selectman	5 00
" " overseer	3 40
Geo. A. Pushee, services as selectman	55 00
" " overseer	24 50
Geo. Melvin, services as town clerk	32 50
" " treasurer	33 00
Henry A. Bailey, services as supervisor	13 00
Edwin P. Dimick, services as selectman	34 00
T. E. Dimick, services as school board	35 00
E. F. Morrill "	30 00
F. A. Chesley "	40 00
P. E. Fairfield, services as supervisor	8 00
Arthur E. Derby, services as selectman	26 00
E. F. Morrill, services as tax collector	147 25
F. E. West " town clerk	20 00
" " town treasurer	13 90
" " school district treasurer	3 47
	$528 02

SCHOOL BOOKS

White River Paper Co., chalk and crayons	$ 2 10
J. L. Hammett & Co., school books	3 78
E. E. Babb & Co. "	3 50
American Book Co "	124 68
R. E. Lane, printing	3 50
Ginn & Co., school books	14 20
J. L. Hammett & Co, school books	13 00
White River Paper Co., supplies	2 00
F. E. West, school supplies	18 27
Arthur E. Derby, school supplies	11 10
E. F. Morrill "	3 00
Andrews Bros. "	17 23
	$216 36

LIBRARY REPORT

As there has been no regular librarian the past year, the work having been divided voluntarily between two or three of the Trustees, it is impossible to give as accurate or detailed an account as may be expected. We trust this year an additional appropriation will be made by the town, thus enabling us to secure the services of a regular librarian who will be able to better systematize the work and so obtain more satisfactory results. However, we feel that the year has been a successful one, and an increasing interest has been shown by the people. One hundred and forty-two families have been represented in the drawing of books; the circulation amounting to 5096 volumes, or 98 per week. We now have 1513 books on our shelves, 210 of which have been added since March 1, 1908. Among these are 14 volumes of "Stoddard's Lectures" valued at $36.00, a gift an from an interested party; and six valuable volumes of "American Statesmen and Authors" by Colonel McClure, donated by Mr. Fred Pushee of California. Books of value were also received from Mr. A. L. Simmons, Mrs. Phila Norris Hiller, Miss A. L. Washburn, and others. Through the generosity of one of our leading citizens, too modest to wish his name mentioned, the library has been supplied with a handsome oak table, which accommodates the popular magazines so generously supplied by our townspeople.

The library will be open for inspection town meeting day, and we hope any who have never visited it will do so at this time.

ROLAND M. MORRISON, Librarian, Pro tem

REPORT OF TOWN LIBRARY TREASURER

RECEIPTS

1908		
Mar. 24	Cash on hand	$ 52 35
July 25	Received of town	100 00
Sept. 9	Interest from bank	38
Dec. 4	From supper	26 77
1909		
Feb. 18	From fines on books	6 80
	Total	$186 30

DISBURSEMENTS

1908		
Aug. 6	For books, purchased in July	$109 62
31	Rent of schoolroom one year	13 00
6	Sundry expenses	1 40
25	Insurance for year	4 20
Sept. 10	Book bill	5 00
16	Oil bill	36
Oct. 8	Books purchased Sept. 15	9 01
8	Express on books	55
Dec. 28	Books purchased in December	23 80
1909		
Feb. 18	Book supports	4 00
19	Cash on hand	15 36
		$186 30

West S. Balch,
Town Library Treasurer

HIGHWAY AGENT'S REPORT

Received of town treasurer	$1,855 27
" automobile party	2 00
" for dynamite	50
PAID AS FOLLOWS:	
Northeast Metal Culvert Co., 7 culverts	155 00
B. & M. R. R., freight	3 26
F. A. Randlett, tiling	59 96
J. Hadlock, repairs road machine	12 60
Sargent & Co., dynamite	20 86
C. M. Hildreth & Son, drill steel	2 80
F. E. West, merchandise	17 50
D. A. Grant, money paid	1 65
Isaac Tattersall, land damage	5 00
Moses Gelo "	5 00
F. F. Nelson " for 2 years	10 00
G. G. Harwood "	5 00
H. M. D. Pike "	5 00
E. W. Hewes, breaking roads	3 53
A. H. Gray "	5 50
Isaac Tattersall "	2 55
Dwight Rich "	8 05
Fred Rich "	3 60
Moses Gelo "	1 63
F. H. Smith "	3 56
Adna Perkins "	1 62
L. W. Coburn "	5 50
G. E. Wilder "	4 50
C. H. Baker "	2 69
F. H. Bailey "	1 25
C. H. Greenough "	1 89
C. D. Pike "	16 29
Frank Cutting "	75

Hazen Turner, snowing bridge		$ 2 00
D. E. Coburn "	for 4 years	10 00
L. C. Andrews, lumber		114 72
F. W. Grant "		2 50
A. J. Warren "		2 10
D. A. Derby, blacksmith		5 40
A. A Turner "		23 10
F. W. Cutting "		1 05
E. C. Abbott "		1 00
Mrs. Kovatsh, gravel, old bill		9 90
S. A. Converse "		6 00
W. L. Chase "		4 00
L. O. White "		2 50
E. B. Palmer "		2 50
May A. Gilbert "		1 50
E. J. Follansbee "		65
H. F. Wilcox "		65
E. C. Bacon, work on highway		3 50
N. K. Dyke "		24 10
George Welch "		3 00
G. A. Pushee "		10 50
C. W. Paige "		3 75
C. E. Palmer "		3 50
F. A. Pushee "		7 00
V. R. Dyke "		12 25
J. L. Stark "		4 20
Dwight Rich "		4 00
E. E. Jenks "		10 20
E. M. Cutting "		11 59
H. T. Reed "		11 35
C. E. Noyes "		9 00
Albert Willager "		4 20
F. W. Grant "		2 10
T. E. Dimick "		2 10
L. O. White "		1 50
G. G. Harwood "		1 80

Walter Derby work on highway		$ 78
E. M. Smith	"	3 30
E. C. Perkins	"	4 13
F. G. Whittemore	"	3 50
C. E. Stilll	"	1 65
H. A. Elliott	"	141 12
C. E. Dyke	"	125 51
C. O. Lamphere	"	3 00
C. H. Horton	"	10 50
J. P. Lamotte	"	5 78
John Bailey	"	3 30
C. H. Dimick	"	4 50
A. M. Lamotte	"	6 60
C. P. Dimick	"	6 60
C. D. Sanborn	"	13 36
Melvin DeWitt	"	22 50
A. B. Wilmot	"	3 50
C. H. Hutchins	"	5 95
J. D. Estey	"	2 10
G. E. Wilder	"	8 10
C. S. Wells	"	2 55
F. H. Smith	"	11 55
C. H. Greenough	"	6 43
Adna Chase	"	1 00
C. D. Pike	"	3 05
D. K. Dyke	"	75
A. N. Faneuf	"	3 30
G. W. Dennis	"	25 00
Frank Cutting	"	4 12
D. A. Grant	"	188 80
E. J. Follansbee	"	3 84
F. L. Camp	"	1 50
D. R. Mativia	"	498 80
For Owen Lamotte, work on highway		3 76
" L. G. Stark	"	10 12
" D. E. Wing	"	23 10
" J. F. Elliott	"	8 37
		$1,857 87

DAVID A. GRANT, Highway Agent

State Highway

Received of town treasurer, joint fund		$1415 07
Paid as follows:		
Northeast Metal Culvert Co., 1 culvert	$22 45	
F. A. Randlett, tiling and shovels	10 01	
May A. Gilbert, gravel	11 00	
F. W. Grant "	6 51	
L. P. Lovejoy "	3 70	
S. H. Webster "	33 80	
S. A. Converse "	20 73	
C. C. Jewell "	6 63	
H. F. Wilcox "	2 25	
H. A. Elliott, shoveling gravel	58 47	
N. K. Dyke "	56 52	
C. E. Dyke "	55 85	
J. D. Estey "	50 92	
C. W. Paige "	25 03	
V. R. Dyke "	47 25	
B. F. Dyke "	4 90	
A. B. Wilmot, drawing gravel	24 50	
E. C. Bacon "	24 50	
C. H. Hutchins "	109 55	
L. F. Wilmot "	8 75	
C. C. Jewell "	25 50	
L. A. Simmons "	36 75	
Charles Palmer "	52 50	
F. A. Pushee "	89 25	
J. L. Stark "	26 60	
Lambert Bros. "	3 50	
Albert Willager "	104 30	
B. A. Emery "	75 25	
D. R. Mativia "	352 00	
D. A. Grant, highway agent	66 10	
		$1415 07
Joint fund in hands of state	$15 19	
" town	5 73	
		$20 92

SCHOOL MONEY

RECEIPTS

Due district from town Feb. 16, 1908	$ 308 93	
School tax	1642 50	
Extra tax voted	917 09	
Literary fund	129 78	
School fund interest	161 03	
Dog licenses	149 60	
Proportion of school fund from state	150 52	
		$3459 45

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid district treasurer	$3416 66	
Due district	42 79	
		$3459 45

Special Schoolhouse Repair Tax

RECEIPTS

Due from town Feb. 16, 1908	$ 52 55	
Special tax raised	150 00	
		$202 55

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid school board orders	$197 50	
Balance due town	5 05	
		$202 55

Frank E. West, School District Treasurer

Lyme, N. H., Feb. 15, 1909

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

Received of town treasurer		$3416 66

DISBURSEMENTS

Teachers salaries, board included	$2896 00	
Wood	195 00	
Repairs	4 50	
Supplies	79 65	
Building fires	75 75	
Cleaning schoolhouses	29 50	
Miscellaneous	62 76	
Insurance	27 00	
Carrying scholars	46 50	
		$3416 66

FRANK E. WEST, School District Treasurer

Lyme, N. H., Feb. 15, 1909

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR

A. O. Waterman, soldier	$112 00
Andrews Bros., goods for Geo. Strew	5 79
	$117 79

County Poor

Geo. A. Pushee, money paid Geo. B. Langmaid	$38 00
Dr. Geo. Dimick, medical aid for Wm. Aldrich	5 75
Lee C. Andrews, goods for Wm. Aldrich and wife	20 25
Andrews Bros., goods for Wm. Aldrich and wife	54 18
Andrews Bros., goods for Alphonso Smith	14 45
Frank E. West, goods for Albert Mehan	3 50
Frank E. West, goods for George B. Langmaid	9 97
Geo. A. Pushee, expenses taking Alphonso Smith to county farm	5 40
Andrews Bros., goods for A. J. Kemp	65 00
Dr. H. W. Stetson, medical aid in Page case	15 00
Sanborn Bros., wood for Wm. Aldrich	7 94
	$239 44

ACCOUNT OF TOWN FINANCES

Liabilities

Dog licenses	$ 156 60	
Lyme school district	42 79	
" repair tax	5 05	
New schoolhouse notes	912 66	
Highway gravel money	5 73	
Outstanding bills	100 00	
" notes	2500 00	
		$3722 83

Available Assets

Due from Grafton county	$ 239 44	
Cash on hand	1130 39	
		$1369 83

Balance against town	$2353 00
School fund note in hands of town	$2683 90
Cemetery fund in hands "	$200 00

Frank E. West, Treasurer

George A. Pushee
Edwin P. Dimick
Arthur E. Derby
} Selectmen of Lyme, N. H.

Lyme, N. H., Feb. 15, 1909

INVENTORY

Polls, 274	$ 27,400 00
Real estate	414,505 00
Horses, 474	43,115 00
Mules, 3	175 00
Oxen, 40	2,475 00
Cows, 1067	24,735 00
Neat stock, 263	3,962 00
Sheep, 559	2,307 00
Hogs, 35	226 00
Fowls, 705	355 00
Goats, 2	15 00
Portable mills, 3	3,000 00
Money at interest	29,150 00
Stock in trade	35,350 00
Aqueducts	700 00
Mills and Machinery	9,100 00
Personal property	300 00
	$596,870 00

SCHOOL BOARD

We submit the twenty-second report of our schools, for the year ending February 15, 1909.

Eleven different schools have been maintained the past year, giving each school thirty-three weeks. Your committee has endeavored to select the best teachers available, and we believe all have endeavored to do good, faithful work, with good results. We have placed in some of our schools reference books and other supplies which we think make our schools better equipped for good work than before.

The district has received $150.52 from the state treasury, which has been expended in lengthening our school year. Let us still maintain such interest in our schools that this appropriation may come our way each year, or other towns may be considered as more worthy of participating in the benefits of this money.

We think it would be to the advantage of the school and town if we could change the school building at the East Village and give us two rooms, and divide the school so we could grade it up. As it is now the teacher has to work at a disadvantage.

In looking over the register we find quite a number of the parents visited the schools, which we believe is the right thing to do. Come in and see for yourselves, and let us work together for the good of our young people, that they may be better fitted to meet the demands of life. We would call attention to the law requiring children between the ages of eight and fourteen to attend school all the time such school is in session.

F. A. CHESLEY, }
T. E. DIMICK, } School Board of Lyme
E. F. MORILL. }

VITAL STATISTICS
OF THE
TOWN OF LYME, N. H.

Births Registered in the Town of Lyme for the year Ending Dec. 31, 1908.

Date of Birth 1908	Place of Birth	Name of the Child (If any)	Sex and Con. Male	Female	Liv. or Still	No. Child'n	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Age of Father	Age of Mother
Jan. 5	Lyme	Roland Russell	M		L	1	Edgar R. Ware	Edith M. Morrison	Lyme	Farmer	Lyme	Somerv'e, Mass	23	21
6		Emery Wm.	M		L	7	Wm. Ackerman	Esther Emery	"	Farmer	St. Albans, Vt.	St. Albans, Vt.	38	39
8		Johnson		F	L	1	Carl Johnson	Ethel Hardy	"	Lumberm'n	Windsor, Vt.	Manchester	30	31
Feb. 4		Hurd		F	L	4	Frank P. Hurd	D. Etta Carpenter	"	Laborer	Clintonv'e, Wis	Pierre, So. Dak	35	25
21		Still		F	L	3	Chas. E. Still	Maggie M. Shea	"	Carpenter	Newport	Manchester	28	32
Mar. 30		Dunbar	M		L	4	Robert A. Dunbar	Edith May Simpson	"	Farmer	Canada	Bradford, Vt.	28	22
Apr. 19		Henry		F	L	5	Ora M. Henry	Bessie M. Mayo	"	Laborer	Thetford, Vt.	Cabot, Vt.	26	28
May 11		Mabel Alice		F	L	9	George Brockway	Nellie E. Dimick	"	Laborer	Waterbury, Vt.	Canada	48	42
28		Luceil Evelyn		F	L	9	Chas. W. Page	Emma J. Dyke	"	Laborer	Orfordville	Lyme	41	42
June 15		Grace May		F	L	3	Fred M. Warren	Jennie M. Camp	"	Farmer	Lyme	Hanover	50	42
17		Stark	M		S	9	Geo. C. Stark	Alice M. Chaffee	"	Laborer	Lyme	Newport	41	39
29		David Brinton	M		L	4	Brinton M. Webster	Lizzie H. Smith	"	Clergyman	Cambridge, Ms.	Cabot, Maine	43	42
July 10		Mildred Sadie		F	L	3	Geo. M. Stevens	Etta B. Allen	"	Farmer	Fryeburg, Me.	Gilmanton	37	37
Aug. 15		Derby	M		L		D. A. Derby	Mary E. Thatcher	"	Blacksmith	Lyme	Dupont, Ohio	42	39
Sept. 13		Putney		F	L	4	Eli J. Putney	May L. Pellerin	"	Mason	Bridgewater	Lyme	38	33
Oct. 15			M		L	1	Henry Wilson	Sarah B. Paige	"	Sawyer	Lyme	Lyme	24	20
Dec. 7		Smith		F	L	4	C. Alonzo Smith	Ida Bressett	"	Laborer	Lyme	Hanover	34	24

Marriages Registered in the Town of Lyme for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1908

Date of Marriage 1908	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	No of Marriage	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married
Jan. 6	Lyme	Carl Johnson	Lyme	30	Teamster	W. Windsor, Vt.	Reuben Johnson	Claremont	Teamster	2	Rev. John Cowan
							May Whittemore	West Lebanon	Housework		Lyme
		Ethel Hardy	Lyme	31	Housework	Manchester	John H. Parker	Franconia	Farmer	2	
							Henrietta Miller	Lebanon	Household		
Feb. 5	Lyme	Geo. H. Grant	Lyme	22	Hotel	Lyme	John H. Grant	Lyme	Farmer	1	Rev. W. A. C.
							Cina Pelton	Lyme	Housework		Converse
		Ethel M. Pushee	Lyme	17	Housework	Lyme	Clarence Pushee	Lyme	Farmer	1	Lyme
							Fannie Post	Lyme	Housework		
Apr. 19	Lyme	Fred C. Hewes	Lyme	31	Farmer	Lyme	Nathan W. Hewes	Lyme	Farmer	2	Rev. W. A. C.
							Lucy Cobb	Hardwick, Vt.	Housework		Converse
		Ethel Spencer	Hanover	25	Housework		Willie Spencer		Postmaster	1	Lyme
							Newton		Housework		
May 20	Hanover	Herbert F. Derby	Lyme	38	Ladder Mfg	Lebanon	Alvin H. Derby	Canaan	Farmer	1	Rev. Alfred
							Catherine E. Nay	Hanover	Housewife		Chick
		Jennie M. Derby	Hanover	34	Housework	Canada	Joseph Sloan	Canada	Carpenter	2	Hanover
							Jessie Small	Canada	Housewife		
Apr. 17	Manchester	Chas. H. Wiggin	Hanover	46	Laborer	Amesbury, Mass.	Benjamin Buzzell	Centre Harbor	Farmer	2	Frank H. Colley, J. P.
							Georgia'a Wiggins	Waco, Texas	Housework		
		Nellie E. Holmes	Hanover	39	Housework	Haverhill	J. M. Gannett	Haverhill	Farmer	3	Manchester
							Louise M. Blodgett	Waterford, Vt.	Housework		
June 25	Lyme	M. B. Tewksbury	Winthrop Mass	30	Clerk	Winthrop, Mass.	John Tewksbury	Winthrop, Mass.	Farmer	1	Rev. Edward P.
							Caroline Banks	Winthrop, Mass.	Housework		Butler
		Helen F. Fairfield	Lyme	28	Teacher	Lyme	Payson E. Fairfield	Lyme	Clerk	1	Sunderland, Mass
							Caroline Churchill	Lyme	Housework		
July 17	Lyme	Gilbert Grey	Lyme	22	Laborer	Sheffield Vt	Aaron H. Grey	Sheffield, Vt.	Farmer	1	Rev. B. M.
							Sarah Simpson	Lyme	Housewife		Webster
		Emily J. Perr n	Lyme	30	Housework	Belfast, Me.	John Farrell	Bath, Me.	Farmer	2	Lyme
							Ella Keith	Bath, Me.	Housewife		
July 28	Lyme	Geo. Wilmot	Lyme	23	Laborer	Lyme	Eric F. Wilmot	Lyme	Farmer	1	Payson E. Fairfield, J. P.
							Minnie Packard	Lyme	Housewife		
		Fannie M. Chapin	Hanover	20	Housework	Nova Sco'a	Chas. Chapin	Ludlow, Vt.	Laborer	1	Lyme
							Fannie M.	Nova Scotia	Housewife		
Aug. 10	Lyme	Thos. D. Coates	Lyme	26	Laborer	Corn Hill, N. B.	Thomas S. Coates	Corn Hill, N. B.	Farmer	1	Rev. Brinton M.
							Mary E. Perry	New Canaan, N. B	Housework		Webster
		Christina Nelson	Lyme	18	Housework	Wakefield	F. F. Nelson	Denmark, Europe	Farmer	1	Lyme
							Caroline Sorenson	Denmark, Europe	Housework		

Marriages — *Continued.*

Date of Marriage 1908	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of of marriage	Age in Years	Occupation of groom and bride	Place of birth of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	No of Marriage	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married
Sept. 30	Lyme	Guy A. Roberts	Lyme	20	Laborer	Bradford Vt	Harris P. Roberts	Lyme	Laborer	1	Rev. J. Cowan
							Emma Wells	Waterville, Vt.	Housework		Lyme
		Jennie M. Hobart	Lyme	17	Housework	Lyme	Albert Hobart	Hebron	Farmer	1	
							Nellie Phelps	Lowell, Mass.	Housework		
Oct. 3	Lyme	Leslie Dyke	Lyme	30	Carpenter	Lyme	Henry Dyke	Lyme	Carpenter	1	Rev. W. A. C.
							Addie Wilmot	Thetford, Vt.	Housework		Converse
		Florence Johnson	Lyme	16	Housework	Lyme	Wilson D. Johnson	Hanover	Blacksmith	1	Lyme
							Alice B. Woodward	Hanover	Housework		
Oct. 10	Milford, Ms	J. P. R. Johnson	Milford, Ms	52	Engineer	Sweden	John E. Johnson			2	Rev. Elbert W.
							Anna C. Galdell				Whitney
		Georgia Flanders	Lyme	49	At Home	Concord	Samuel E. Flanders			2	Milford
							Jane Nelson				
Oct. 20	Lyme	E. J. Follansbee	Lyme	29	Farmer	West Fairlee, Vt.	John H. Follansbee	Manchester	Farmer	1	Rev. J. Cowan
							Mary G. DeGoosh	West Fairlee, Vt	Housewife		Lyme
		L.E. Hutchinson	W. Fairlee, Vt.	23	Nurse	Barnard, Vt	Edgar H. Harlow	Woodstock, Vt.	Farmer	2	
							Mariah E. Grey	Barnard, Vt.	Nurse		
Oct. 21	Lyme	Arthur M. Little	Boston, Ms.	41	Broker	Boston	Samuel Little	Hingham, Mass.	Banking	2	Rev. Brinton M.
							Elizabeth Malborn	Cohasset, Mass.	Housewife		Webster
		Marg'tM Watson	Boston, Ms.	30	At Home	Ca'eBreton N. S.	Samuel Watson	Baddeck, N. S.	Farmer	1	Lyme
							Emma Sparling	Baddeck, N. S.	Housewife		
Nov. 20	Lyme	John Adams King	Lyme	27	Farmer	Dorchester	Walter E. King	Groton	Mail Carrier	1	Rev. Brinton M.
							Ida L. Norris	Dorchester	Housewife		Webster
		Alice C. Chesley	Lyme	17	Teacher	W. Fairlee, Vt.	Frank A. Chesley	Lyme	Farmer	1	Lyme
							Louise Morey	West Fairlee, Vt.	Housewife		
Nov. 25	Lyme	John T. B. Bailey	Lyme	62	Farmer	Lowell Mas	John Trull Bailey	Andover, Mass.	Farmer	2	Rev. John
							Orilla Norcross	Woodbury, Vt.	Housewife		Cowan
		Myra J. Winslow	Lyme	50	Housewife	Lyme	Winthrop Post	Lyme	Farmer	2	Lyme
							Laura Wise	Groton	Housewife		
Dec. 5	No. Attleboro, Mass.	Henry F. Wilson	Lyme	23	Brd Sawing	Lyme	Henry Wilson			1	Rev. Zenas
							Georgie Flanders				Crowell
		Sarah M. Hall	No. Attleboro, Mass.	18	Mill Op.	Fall River, Mass.	Willam			1	No. Attleboro,
							Mena Fontan				Mass.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Lyme for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1908

Date of Death 1908	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age Years	Age Months	Age Days	Place of Birth	S & C Male or Fem	S & C Color	S & C S M or W	Occupation	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 4	Edwin Bugbee	81	2	12	Pomfret, Vt.	M	All white	M	Farmer	Pomfret, Vt.	Canada	Rufus Bugbee	Elizabeth Hunter
6	John W. Bliss	84	5	13	Lyme	M		W	"			Reuben Bliss	Nancy Williams
11	Roland R. Ware			5	Lyme	M		S		Lyme	Somerv'e, Mass	Edgar R. Ware	Edith M. Morrison
22	Nathan W. Hewes	75	8	29	Lyme	M		W	Farmer	Lyme	Hanover	Sylvanus Hewes	Miriam Wright
Mar. 11	William A. Moore	72	11	4	Bangor, Me.	M		M	"	England	St. Johns, N. B.	William G. Moore	Margaret Fanning
May 6	John M. Newcomb	64		6	Lyme	M		W	"			D. Newcomb	Mary Winslow
June 11	Benjamin Washburn	75	11	25	Lyme	M		M	"	Lyme	Lyme	John Washburn	Sarah Tucker
23	Matilda Hurlburt	70	3	16	West Rumney	F		W	Housewife	Lyme	Hanover	David Emerton	Fannie Bowers
23	William E. Davis	48	2	15	England	M		M	Engineer	England	England	Samuel Davis	Jane Summerton
29	Nathaniel H. Martin	80	10	11	Dorchester	M		W	Clergyman	Dorchester	Dorchester	Simeon Martin	Mehitable Sanborn
May 26	Silas P. Brown	66	7	26	Wentworth	M		W	Farmer	Scotland	Conn.	Chas. Brown	Polly Heaton
July 17	Carlos F. Steele	36		25	Lyme	M		M	"	Lyme	Lyme	David C. Steele	Matilda Pushee
Aug. 25	Enos W. Bradbury	87	9	30	Canaan	M		W	"	Canaan		Samuel Bradbury	Phebe Gould
Sept. 7	Adaline B. Cook	75	4	16	Washington	F		M	Housewife	Brandon, Vt.		Alonzo Barette	Elizabeth Peacock
21	Wm H. Conant	80	6	14	Lyme	M		W	Farmer	Bridgew'r, Mss.	Bridgew'r, Mas.	Martin Conant	Lucy M. Huron
Oct. 1	Elizabeth T. Dyke	69	4	25	Strafford, Vt.	F		M	Housewife	Strafford, Vt.	Strafford, Vt.	Ichabod Tucker	Ora Barrett
2	Cyrus N. Warren	82	11	28	Lyme	M		M	Farmer	Conn.		Cyrus Warren	Azaba Alden
11	John Leslie McEwen	40	1	22	Aulisville, P.Q.	M		M	"	Canada	Canada	John McEwen	Jane Make
15	Sarah Belle Paige	20		29	Lyme	F		S	Domestic	Orford	Lyme	Chas. W. Paige	Emma J. Dyke
Nov. 12	Henry Pratt	82	7	5	Boston, Mass.	M		W	Farmer			Thomas Pratt	
21	Caroline D. Welch	72	6		Stanstead, Can.	F		W	Housek'p'r				
22	Albert P. Mehan	54	4	8	Quebec, Can	M		M	Laborer	Canada		Chas. Mehan	Mary Welsh

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRANK E. WEST, *Town Clerk*